Software Engineering

- The science concerned with putting computer science knowledge to practical use.
- Computer Science versus Software Engineering

Software Engineering - IEEE

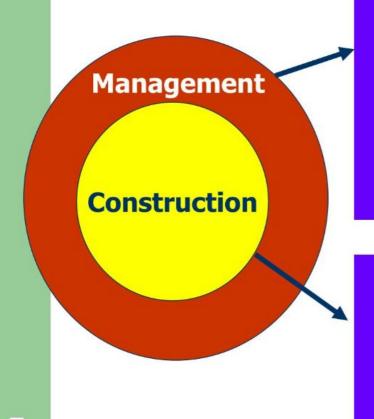
- 1. The application of a systematic, disciplined, quantifiable approach to the development, operation, and maintenance of software; that is, the application of engineering to software.
- 2. The study of approaches as in 1.

One of the largest efforts in Software Engineering has been the design of Ada Programming Language!

Effort Breakdown of ~10000 Projects - Capers Jones

 Project Management 	8.08%
 Requirements 	14.43%
 Design 	11.36%
 Coding 	13.50%
• SQA	30.64%
• SCM	13.02%
 Integration 	6.54%
• Misc.	~3%

Software Development



project planning and management configuration management quality assurance installation and training etc.

Requirements
Design
Coding
Testing
Maintenance
etc.

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Basic Activities of Software Engineering

- defining the software development process to be used
- managing the development project
- describing the intended software product
- designing the product
- implementing the product
- testing the parts of the product
- integrating the parts and testing them as a whole
- maintaining the product

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Product

The Four P's of Software Engineering

Project – the task at hand

People – by whom it is done

Process – the manner it is done

- the artifacts produced